

## NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OF CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION CITY OF GLENDIVE, MONTANA WATER TREATMENT PLANT IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT

January 25, 2019

The Montana Department of Environmental Quality has reviewed the above-named project. The project consists of abandoning the existing solids contact basin, constructing a new solids contact building and new electrical room, installing two new solids contact units, new chemical feed equipment and upgrading or replacing all of the electrical and process control equipment. The project will also install new piping and valves in the existing filtration building and between all new system components. The new components will be integrated in to the existing SCADA system to allow full automated control of the water treatment plant. All of the work will occur at Glendive's existing water treatment plant located at 420 W. Bell Street, Glendive, Montana.

Pursuant to ARM 17.40.318, the Department has concluded that the proposed project meets the Categorical Exclusion criteria of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and the Montana Environmental Policy Act (MEPA). The Categorical Exclusion may be revoked if the project is not initiated within the time period specified in the planning documents, a new or modified application is submitted, or new evidence demonstrates serious local or environmental issues exist, or state, local, tribal, or federal laws are violated. The documentation for the Categorical Exclusion is available for public review at the following locations:

Department of Environmental Quality State Revolving Fund Loan Program 1520 East Sixth Avenue Helena, MT 59601

Glendive City Hall 300 S. Merrill Avenue Glendive, MT 59330

Sincerely,

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